Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, February 12-18 marks the celebration of Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) Week; and,

WHEREAS, Its purpose is to provide, as an integral part of the instructional program, additional opportunities for secondary students (grades 7-12) in business and office education to develop vocational and career supportive competencies, and to promote civic and personal responsibilities; and,

WHEREAS, This youth organization will develop competent, aggressive business leadership and helps today's youth to be "In Touch with the Business of America" by offering its members opportunities to gain invaluable hands-on experience; and,

WHEREAS, Chapters in South Dakota will create more interest in and develop the understanding of the America Business Enterprise; and,

WHEREAS, FBLA will encourage members in the development of individual projects which contribute to the improvement of home, business, and community; and,

WHEREAS, This national organization will assist students in the establishment of occupational goals; and,

WHEREAS, The overall goal of FBLA is to facilitate the transition from school to work;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim February 12 through 18, 1988, as

FBLA-PBL WEEK

in South Dakota, and call upon the people of South Dakota to recognize the Future Business Leaders of America for its many accomplishments during its celebration.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-Ninth Day of November, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE